

**AMENDMENTS TO THE SPECIFICATION:**

**Please amend the title as follows :**

METHOD OF SELECTING AND SORTING PACKETS MADE AVAILABLE TO AN  
INSTALLATION PROVIDED TO A PIECE OF EQUIPMENT BY A DATA PACKET DATA  
TRANSMISSION NETWORK

**Please add the following header and paragraph after the title of the invention  
beginning on page 1:**

CROSS - REFERENCE TO RELATED APPLICATIONS

The present Application is based on International Application No. PCT/FR03/00745, filed on March 7, 2003, entitled " METHOD OF SELECTING AND SORTING PACKETS PROVIDED TO A PIECE OF EQUIPMENT BY A DATA PACKET TRANSMISSION NETWORK", which in turn corresponds to FR 02/02257 filed on March 15, 2002, and priority is hereby claimed under 35 USC §119 based on these applications. Each of these applications are hereby incorporated by reference in their entirety into this application.

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specification beginning on page 1:**

FIELD OF THE INVENTION

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DESCRIPTION OF THE RELATED ART

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#### SUMMARY OF THE INVENTION

**Please amend the fifth paragraph of the current specification beginning on page 5:**

Its subject is a method of selecting and sorting data packets made available to ~~this installation~~ an equipment, by at least one packet data transmission network ~~employing~~ with a packet format able to comply with three levels of protocols:

**Please amend the third paragraph of the current specification beginning on page 6:**

This method includes the steps of: ~~is noteworthy in that it consists in:~~

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#### BRIEF DESCRIPTION OF THE DRAWINGS

**Please add the following header after the sixth paragraph of the current specification beginning on page 11:**

#### DESCRIPTION OF THE PREFERRED EMBODIMENT

**Please add the following paragraph after the third paragraph of the current specification beginning on page 27:**

It will be readily seen by one of ordinary skill in the art that the present invention fulfills all of the objects set forth above. After reading the foregoing specification, one of ordinary skill will be able to affect various changes, substitutions of equivalents and various other aspects of the invention as broadly disclosed herein. It is therefore intended that the protection granted